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Publishing Firm Buys 8 Papers in Virginia Suburbs

McKEESPORT, Pa. (UPI) — Thomas D. Mansfield, publisher of the Daily News of McKeesport, has announced the acquisition by the Daily News Publishing Co. of the Globe newspaper group of eight weekly papers in Northern Virginia.

The newly acquired papers are the Vienna Globe, Fairfax Globe, McLean Globe; Herndon-Reston Globe; Falls Church Globe; Annandale Globe; Springfield Globe and Mt. Vernon-Lee Globe.

"We hope to grow with Northern Virginia and under the new ownership the Globe papers will be used in all ways possible to promote the progress of the areas which they serve," Mansfield said Friday.

The former publishers of the Globe group are John R. Harris, Robert E. Hennessee and Edward W. Alfriend IV, all of the Northern Virginia area.